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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application having a mailing date of June 28, 2004 (copy enclosed), Applicant respectfully submits a copy of the signed Declaration for Patent Application, Power of Attorney & Designation of Correspondence Address.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required \$130 late oath surcharge and a one month extension of time in the amount of \$110 to Deposit Account No. 50-1065. Please charge any additional fees and credit any overpayments to the same. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

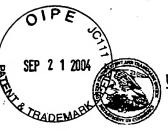
Please contact Applicant's attorney with any questions regarding this matter.

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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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